

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Bruce Corwin, Treasurer Berman for Congress 8665 Whilshire Blvd., Suite 220 Beverly Hills, CA 90211

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Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98)

Dear Mr. Corwin:

This letter is to inform you that as of December 9, 1998 the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated November 17, 1998. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

The Commission notes the receipt of your 30 Day Post-General (10/15/98-11/23/98) Report on December 3, 1998. This report discloses a \$37,500 debt (on Schedule D) to Michael Berman, Inc. Please clarify if this obligation is a debt or a loan and report it on the appropriate schedule. If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Peter Kell, Jr. on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

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